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SUBJECT: VISIT OF IBRD CHAIRMAN MCNAMARA TO TURKEY APRIL 9-16

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1. IBRD PRESIDENT MCNAMARA WILL VISIT TURKEY APRIL 9-16
ACCORDING TO SHAKIL FARUQI, MEMBER OF IBRD TEAM CURRENTLY
IN TURKEY TO REVIEW BANK RELATIONS WITH GOT. FARUQI TOLD
EMBOFFS THAT MCNAMARA WILL DISCUSS TURKISH/IBRD LENDING
RELATIONS (WHICH HAVE BEEN IN A HOLDING PATTERN FOR THE
LAST YEAR) AND VISIT SOME ONGOING PROJECTS. THE VISIT HAS
NOT YET BEEN OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED.

2. FARUQI WAS DISTURBED THAT TURKISH MINISTER OF FINANCE
WAS APPARENTLY UNINFORMED ABOUT THE POSSIBILITY OF AN
EXPANDED CONSULTATIVE GROUP FOR TURKEY WHICH WAS
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DISCUSSED WITH LOWER LEVEL GOT OFFICIALS DURING THE
NIMETZ VISIT. HIS GENERAL IMPRESSION WAS THAT THE GOT
HAD NOT FOCUSED ON POSSIBILITY OF A GROUP OF THIS TYPE.
HE SAID THAT IBRD STAFF WOULD RECOMMEND THAT MCNAMARA
NOT BROACH THIS SUBJECT IN TALKS WITH GOT UNLESS,
IN MEANTIME, THE TURKS, U.S., OR SOME OTHER PARTY
TOOK THE LEAD IN ORGANIZING A CONSULTATIVE GROUP.

3. IF TURKEY FAILS TO REACH AGREEMENT WITH IMF BEFORE
APRIL 9 FARUQI SAID, VISIT MIGHT BE POSTPONED. ABSENCE
OF AGREEMENT WITH THE FUND WOULD IMPLY LACK OF AN ECONOMIC
PROGRAM SUITABLE TO RENEWED IBRD LENDING.
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